## ADULT PROGRAMS OSUNNYVALE PUBLIC LIBRARY

# **MAY** 2016

### **Book Groups**

Mystery Book Group: Monday, May 9, 7 p.m.

The Yard, by Alex Grecian.

Monthly Book Group: Wednesday, May 18, 7 p.m. All the Light We Cannot See, by Anthony Doerr.

#### **On-Going Programs**

**ESL Conversation Group:** 

Every Friday, 11 a.m.

Join with others to practice your English speaking skills in a friendly group setting.

Get Connected: Computer, Tablet and Smartphone Basics: Every Wednesday, 2-3 p.m., Technology Center

Meet with a tutor and learn the basics of computers, tablets, or smartphones. Bring your own device or learn on a Library computer.

Stitch 'n' Sew Lab^: The Stitch Every Tuesday, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Every Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Open sewing lab where experts are available to help you! Register at the Information Desk the day of. Bring your own materials.

#### **Special Programs**

Instrument Petting Zoo: Sunday, May 1, 3 p.m.

Hear and touch orchestral instruments as demonstrated by members of the Nova Vista Symphony. Fun for the entire family!

Adults Create: Embroidered Cards\*: Monday, May 2, 7 p.m. Join us for our monthly adult craft night and learn to make an embroidered card. Adults only.

Comicpalooza: Saturday, May 7, 2 - 5 p.m.

Join us for Comicpalooza and Comic Book Day and get a free comic. There will also be a comic book exchange. For ages 5 and up.

Sunday Music Series\*: Grass and Wind:

Sunday, May 8, 3 p.m.

*Grass and Wind* will perform a repertoire of traditional and original songs on the banjo and clarinet.

IP Issues and Small Business: Tuesday, May 10, 7 p.m.

Introduction to IP Issues for the small business owner including patents, trademarks, copyrights, non-disclosure agreements, consulting agreements and licenses.

Learn About Acupuncture: Wednesday, May 11, 7 p.m.

Dr. Jing Lao from Silicon Valley Acupuncture Clinic will discuss the benefits of acupuncture and how it can help various health ailments.

#### The Library Talks: Patrick Rothfuss:

Wednesday, May 11, 6:30 p.m. Fiction Room

Join us for a virtual author talk with Patrick Rothfuss, bestselling author of *The Name of the Wind*. Participate in a live discussion about his blockbuster fantasy series, the upcoming movie and TV show, and what's in store for *Kvothe*.

Appy Hour: Food Apps: Thursday, May 19, 2 p.m.

Do you have an Apple or Android tablet or smart phone? Great! We've got apps. Learn about free and paid apps. This month: Food apps.

#### Gaming at the Library\*:

Saturday, May 21, 2 – 4 p.m., Fiction Room

Play strategic board games for all experience levels. Features Settlers of Catan. Adults only. No registration.

Pea Garden Party: Saturday, May 21, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Celebrate Silicon Valley Grows and the Green Arrow Pea! Join us for a mini-garden story time followed by a walk to the Charles Street Gardens for river rock painting and a pea tasting with the Master Gardeners. All ages welcome.

College Savings: Wednesday, May 25, 7 p.m.

What does a \$100,000 college education cost? How do I invest in my child's future tax-free? Can gifting to my grandchildren's college fund potentially reduce my estate tax? Learn the benefits of saving for college in a 529 plan.





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29	The Library will be CLOSED Monday, May 30	31 11 a.m. Stitch 'n' Sew Lab^ 6:30 p.m. Lawyers in the Library	Friends of the Saturday, May 21, 1	10 a.m3 p.m.,	rary Book Sale	FRIENDS OF THE SUNNYVALE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Sunday, May 22, 12-3 p.m.

Become a Friend of Sunnyvale Library and enter at 9 a.m. on Saturdays. On Sundays, buy a bag for \$5.00 and fill it with books.

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